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SUBJECT: IV GRANTEE SHAH MOAZZAM HOSSAIN

REF : STATE 061163 AND DACCA 1541

1. SHAH MOAZZAM HOSSAIN, MEMBER PARLIAMENT FROM DACCA, CHIEF PARTY WHIP, PROTOCOL RANK MINISTER OF STATE (LAW AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS) WANTS TO ACCEPT IVP INVITATION. HOWEVER, ACCEPTANCE CONTINGENT ON PM'S APPROVAL, WHICH IS BY NO MEANS CERTAIN. DATES: 45 DAYS, ESTIMATED TOUR FIRST WEEK OCTOBER THROUGH MID-NOVEMBER; EXACT DATES DEPENDENT ON END CURRENT BD PARLIAMENTARY SESSION. IF UNABLE COME AT THIS TIME, WISHES CONSIDERATION SPRING VISIT.

2. FOR BIODATA SEE REFERENCED TELEGRAM.

3. GENERAL PROGRAM GUIDELINES SUGGESTED IN CONVERSATION WITH EMB OFF FRANK WISNER; SUGGEST USE IN CONJUNCTION REFTEL:

A. PRIMARY INTEREST AND FOCUS OF VISIT ON LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES OF FEDERAL/STATE GOVERNMENT. IN WASHINGTON ATTEND SESSION OF SENATE, HOUSE; MEET PARTY WHIP COUNTERPARTS AND IF POSSIBLE SPEAKERS BOTH PARTIES. POST SUGGESTS MEETING WITH CONGRESSMEN, UNCLASSIFIED

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SENATORS WHO HAVE SHOWN INTEREST IN BANGLADESH,

INCLUDING CONGRESSMAN MCCLORY OF ILLINOIS, SEN. SAXBE OF OHIO, AND SENATOR KENNEDY. HOSSAIN WISHES RENEW ACQUAINTANCE WITH AMERICAN DELEGATE ATTENDING 1972 INTER-PARLIAMENTARY UNION IN ROME (NAME UNKNOWN). ALSO INTERESTED CONTACT WITH STATE/LOCAL GOVERNMENTS DIFFERENT REGIONS: MEETINGS WITH GOVERNOR, MAYORS, AND STATE LEGISLATORS REQUESTED.

B. AS PRINCIPLE SPORTS FIGURE BANGLADESH SPORTS UNION, (AND SUCCESSFUL UNIVERSITY SOCCER PLAYER) INTERESTED SEEING COACHING ACTIVITIES, TRAINING FACILITIES, AND PERFORMANCES OF WRESTLING, BOXING, BASKETBALL, SWIMMING, SOCCER, POST SUGGESTS ATTENDANCE GOOD PRO TENNIS MATCH, MEETING ARTHUR ASHE IF POSSIBLE.

C. WISHES TO SEE AREAS OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION RELEVANT TO BD ECONOMY - IE. RICE, COTTON, SUGAR -- AND AGRO -INDUSTRIAL AND MARKETING BACK-UP. SUGGEST APPOINTMENTS WITH A PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OF CONTINENTAL GRAINS LTD., 2 BROADWAY, NEW YORK (SUPPLIER OF GRAIN TO BANGLADESH), USAID FOOD FOR PEACE PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS, AND RELEVANT USDA OFFICIALS.

D. IN CONTEXT FORMAL TRAINING AS CRIMINAL LAWYER AND 10 YEARS EXPERIENCE AS INMATE IN PRISON, EXPRESSES MARKED INTEREST IN AMERICAN JUDICIAL SYSTEM, INCLUDING CRIMINAL LAW/PENAL SYSTEM. SUGGEST VISITS CRIMINAL COURT IN SESSION AND PRISON, IN CONJUNCTION MEETINGS WITH LAWYERS AND PRISON OFFICIALS AS WELL AS ACADEMIC TYPES VERSED IN FIELDS OF COMPARATIVE LEGAL INSTITUTIONS, PRISON REFORM AND CONSTITUTIONAL LAW.

E. REQUESTS CONTACTS WITH POLITICAL PARTY ORGANIZATIONS FROM GRASS ROOTS LEVEL (WARDS) TO NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS.

F. AS FORMER MEMBER BD CONSORSHIP BOARD, WISHES TO SEE FILMS AND FILM-MAKING RANGING OVER ENTIRE UNCLASSIFIED

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SPECTRUM RATING SYSTEM.

G. INTERESTED IN CONTEMPORARY AMERICAN CULTURAL EXPRESSION: SUGGEST ATTENDANCE PERFORMANCES OF EXPERIMENTAL THEATRE, BALLET, MODERN DANCE, IN CONJUNCTION DISCUSSION WITH ACADEMIC TYPES VERSED IN THESE FIELDS AND IN CONTEMPORARY AMERICAN LITERATURE.

H. LOOKS FORWARD TO STAYING WITH AMERICAN
FAMILIES WITHOUT FANFARE.

4. RETURN VIA PACIFIC.

5. REQUESTS ESCORT OFFICER; SPEAKS FLUENT ENGLISH.

6. DIETARY RESTRICTIONS AS PER REFTTEL.

7. IN FORMAL CALLS, HE SHOULD BE ADDRESSED AS
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